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Engineer Department,

Mashington, Dec. 2, 1818.

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December 5, 1818.

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October 8.

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The laws by which this District is now governed, tarloody be found by a reference to the numericus volumes containing those of the United States, of the states of Virginia and Marxiand, and or England, therefore the acquisition of this code (which will comprise the whole in one volume, must be considered as of the first importance, by all magistrates, gentlemen of the bar, and citizens in general, who have been different experienced the accessity of work of this description.

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> CONGRESSIONAL REPORT. In Senate, January 25.

EXPORTATION OF DOMESTIC COINS. The Committee of Finance, to whom was referred a resolution to inquire into the expediency of prohibiting, by law, the exportation of the gold, silver and copper coins of the United States, report :

That the measure contemplated in the resolution, intimately connecting atself with the fiscal concerns of the nation, the committee, through their chairman, addressed a note to the secretary of the treasury, requesting his opinion of the propriety of adopting measures for the attainment of the object in contemplation, from whom they received in reply a communication, which accompanies this report, with the arguments and opinion expressed, in which those of your committee substantially correspond.

of legislative proceedings, to prevent the escape of the precious metals beyond the territorial limits of the government, the history of all countries in which the power of legislation has been thus exercised, bear testimony. And if all the efforts of arbitrary power, in despotic governments-if regulations, dictated by the most cautious and jealous politicians, guarded by penalties and punishments the most cruel and hauguinary, and enforced with arigor which knows no mitigation, have been in vain what hope can be indulged, that a government, like ours, the genius and spirit of which breathes mildress and moderationa country, in which cruel and unusual punishments are unknown, could find the means seems more entirely renounced and exploded, if not by the practice of all nations, at least in the disquisitions of political economists, than that, which supposed that an accumulation of the precious metals could be produced in the dominions of one sovereign, by regulations prohibiting their exportation to those of any other. The evils resulting to the community from a scarcity, or too small a portion of the precious metals, seem to your committee to be too deeply seated, to yield to any remedies within the competency of legislation to afford. It is a malady which admits of no cure but that of time, patient industry, and persevering economy. As long as the balance of trade is against us, so long will a constant afflux of the pre-cious metals be required for the discharge

From this axiom in commerce, the corquestioned, it follows that it remains with the creditor. the people themselves to adjust this balance, and to produce a preponderance in favor of our own country. Highly favored as they are by the bounty of providenceblessed with a country of unparallelled fertility-with soil, climate and situation al- require its temporary adoption. most infinitely diversified—with capacities of rivalling every quarter of the globe in the agricultural productions, as well as in the perfection of their manufactures, raw nished them within the bosom of their own prohibited by law. Admitting, for the country—aided by a moderate and wise purposes of this enquiry, the correctness economy, in a limited enjoyment of foreign luxuries : with these advantages, duly appreciated, and fully improved, to what elevated condition, in their intercourse with foreign nations may they not aspire? To the protection of our domestic manufactures, by the imposition of duties on foreign importations the national government seemed to have gone as far as sound policy would warrant or permit: The present tariff having been framed, with a view as well of the support of government, as, by the a-mount of the duties imposed on foreign articles of manufacture, to enable our own manufacturer of similar articles, to meet the importer of such foreign manufactures in our own market, on terms of fair and equal competition.

Further than this, it would seem to your to the sagagity of this class of the community, sharpened by the keen sense of interest, and enlightened by long experience, it most profitable markets of the productions of our native and domestic industry, and to to the East Indies, is the only circumstance bring us in exchange such of the productions of foreign climates, and of foreign labor, as our citizens are willing to purchase. In short, it is the opinion of your committee, that commerce is always destined to flourish most where it is permitted to pur-

of the following resolution:

congress to adopt any regulations for pre-venting the exportation of the gold, silver, or copper coins of the United States.

Treasury Department, Dec. 29, 1818. Sin: In reply to your letter enclosing th olution of the senate, of the 2d that. structing the committee of finance "to inquire into the expediency of prohibiting the exportation of the gold, silver and copper coins of the United States." I have the ration which I have been able to bestow upon the subject, it would be inexpedient to adopt the measure at this time: 1st, be-2d, that, so far as it may be rendered effectual it will operate in favor of the corrupt part of the community, and injuriously to the fair and consciencious merchant.— The latter position is so manifestly true that no argument will be offered in its favor.

In support of the first position, the experience of other states, furnishes the most irrefutable evidence. During the dark ages, and those which immediately followed the current coin of the respective states, but of the precious metals generally, was prohi-Of the inefficacy, if not entire impotence bited, under the most sanguinary penalties. This general prohibition, yielding to the progress of reason, and to the advancement made in the science of political economy, during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, has been gradually reduced in most of the states of modern Europe, to the gold and silver coins of the respective states. According to the testimony of the most enlightened men of every state, for the last century, the absolute inefficacy of

By the immutable laws of commerce, the exportation of the precious metals must neof obtaining, by this mild spirit of legisla- of trade, in despite of any municipal re-tion, this desirable end? Indeed, no error gulation, which human ingentity can devise, or human power execute, short of specie, in 1814. wresting from individuals the possession of it. As a general principle, it may be safely asserted, that the state which imports merchandize to a greater amount than it exports, must pay the balance in the precious metals. In free states where public credit is firmly established, and monied institutions founded upon just principles, and wisely administered, it is admitted that balances may be sometimes adjusted without the aid of specie, by transterring to the creditor interest-bearing securities, such as funded debt and bank stock. It needs, however, no effort of reason to determine, that this means of adjusting balances, must not only be limited in its extent, but injurious to the party which resorts to it, as it uniformly tends to increase and perpetuate the balance to the extent of rectness of which, it is believed, never was the interest which is annually payable to

> But it may possibly be contended, that however inefficient the measure may be, as a permanent regulation, yet there are conjunctions in the affairs of every state which not only justify but imperiously

It cannot be denied that the history of our own government strongly countenances this distinction. During the embargo of 1807-8, and that of 1812, the exportation materials for which are so abundantly fur- of Specie of every description was rigidly purposes of this enquiry, the correctness of this decision, it may be proper to determine whether our political or commercial relations with foreign states, or our internal affairs present a case, which calls for the temporary adoption of the measure. According to general appearances, it is believed that our relations with foreign states have at no period of our national existence, furnished less cause of inquietude.

The vexations to which our commerce was subjected by the principal beligerent raising the requisite supply of revenue for | nations, prior to the commencement of the late war-its almost total suspension during the war, and the irregularities and vicissitudes incident to its resumption, on the re urn of peace, have, doubtiess produced the most serious embarrasments and losses. At this time, however, there is just reason to believe that these irregularities have ceased; that commerce has resucommittee, the congress of the U. States med its customary channels, and that the ought not to go. To commercial enterprize enterptising and prudent merchant, will bereafter enjoy fair and reasonable profits. The rate or exchange between this country and the commercial states of Europe, is a should be left, to explore the vid; or, seek - sufficient security against the exportation of ing new channels of commerce, find out the the gold and silver coin of the U. States to those states. The exportation of specie connected with our commercial intercourse with other states which can be supposed to require the temporary prohibition of the exportation of the current coin of the U- of the country, the currency could not fail nited States. It is believed that this trade has been prosecuted more extensively by sue its own paths, marked out by itself, en- the merchants of the United States, since barrassed as little as possible by legisla- the late war, than anterior to that period, tive regulations or restrictions.

The extent to which it will be prosecuted. The extent to which it will be prosecuted of the exportation of the gold and silver

ter are induced to recommend the adoption , extent to which sales can be profitably relief. Nor is it conceived that this mesmade of the articles imported, and the practicability of obtaining the necessary amount of specie for its prosecution. Should the civil war which has for some time existed between Spain and the Independent governments in the Spanish American provinces, be prosecuted for any considerable time longer, it is probable that there will be a general appreciation of the prethat the drain of the East Indies may trot only be greatly diminished, but that they be imported from thence into Europe and the United States. But there is no rational probability that in either event, the pressure upon the community which has procause it cannot be rendered effectual; and duced this enquiry, will be temporary in its nature or that it will yield to any temporary legislative expedient. It will be removed only when our importations shall be reduced below our exportations of nierchandize to a greater extent than the a mount of specie exported to the East In-dies. Until this should be the case, the pressure will continue, even should the quantity of the precious metals in general circulation be greatly increased. Whitrevival of letters, arts, and commerce in ther the quantity be greator small, no part Europe, the exportation, not only of the of it will permanently remain in a state against which there is an annual balance of trade, unless the coin of such state should be so adulterated as to destroy its correccy. If these views he correct, we must look to the state of our internal affairs for circumstances which may justify a temporary prohibition of the exportation of the gold and silver coin of the United States. That the currency is disordered, and that much embarrasment is felt in the fiscal transactions of the government has been stated in the annual report of the treasury. In the spring of 1817, the principal banks in the comthis modified prohibition, as a permament mercial cities, in conjunction with the bank measure, has been satisfactorily establish- of the United States, resumed specie payment. Their example was ostensibly fol lowed by the immense number of local banks established in the interior of the Atcessarily depend upon the general balance fantic states. In the western states, specie payments were also resumed by the banks established before the refusal to pay

> In making the effort to restore the cur rency to an equality with gold and silver. the banks were seconded by the community, which manifested a laudable forbear ance to demand specie for the bank notes which formed the general circulation. This forbearance, however, could not be expected to continue after the banks had had time to regulate their paper in circulation, according to the quantity of specie in their vaults. In the mean time, the bank of the United States, and some of the state banks, made considerable efforts to import

> The exportation of it, during the same period, has, it is believed, been equal, if not greater than the importation by the banks and by individuals. It is presumed that the banks will not continue thier exertions to import specie, but leave that to be alone can bear the expense; but which will certainly not do it, so long as it shall be done by the banks When the banks cease to import they must withdraw their paper from circulation to a very great extent or stop payment. The demand for a circulating currency must be made imperious before it will be imported to any considerable extent by the commercial interest. It is only when gold and silver shall form a large proportion of the circulating medium of the nation, that the currency can be said to be sound. Since the resumption of specie payments, in the spring of 1817, this nas not been the case.

> What specie there was in the country has remained in the vaults of the banks until it has been drawn by the brokers, to be sold to the exporting merchants. It has not entered into the general circulation; and there is just reason to fear that much time will elapse before it does. What was the result of forbearance in the first instance has been effected since by the operations of interest or of fear. If specie could be freely drawn by the exporting merchant from the vaults of the banks, at par, he would not pay the brokers 8 or 10 per cent. pre-

Bank stock, especially in the eastern, middle, and some of the western states. forms so great a portion of the property of such is the bargain which the American the wealthy and influential classes of society, that the interest of the banks is that of the whole community. The exporter of specie has, therefore, to choose between the hostility of the community, and the payment of a premium upon the specie which he exports. There is even just reason to apprehend, that where banks shall stop psyment, they may be permitted, by public opinion, in some parts of the Union, to continue to circulate their notes. Should this apprehension be realized, and the evils should be extended to different sections to be vitiated in an extreme degree, unless the national or state governments should adopt measures necessary to repress it. Against evils of this nature, the probibition

sure can in any degree, repress or alleviate the sufferings of the community, resulting from the excessive multiplication of banks, and consequent inundation of bank paper which it was manifest could not be conver-

ted into specie at the will of the holder. If the banks shall be constrained by law by public opision, or by a correct know-ledge of their interest, to stop their discounts when they cease to discharge their otes in specie when demanded, and confine their exertions exclusively to the collection and payment of their debts, the evils which now oppress society will be gradually diminished, and currency every where will become equal to gold and silver: But, during this process, and after it shall be terminated, property of every descrip-tion will be greatly diminished in value; and especially that which is fixed and permanent in its nature. In the liquidation of the existing debts, the relation of debtor and creditor will be sensibly changed in favor of the latter, who will be paid in money of greater intrinsic value than was received by the former. But this is an evil which necessarily results from fluctuations in the currency of every state, and cannot be charged upon the government, which in the present case, will be most seriously af-It is, however, conceived, that a paper

currency, founded upon a metallic basis; is nore liable to sudden and violent fluctuations than one which is purely metallic. In the present state of the precious metals, in general circulation, a metallic currency, it is confidently believed, could not be simul taneously resumed by the different states of the civilized world. We are then compelled, under existing circumstances, to continue a paper currency, founded upon a metallic basis, with all its liability to sudden and violent fluctuations, aggravated by the circumstance that more than twenty different sovereignties claim and exercise the right of increasing, ad libitum, that currency, through the instrumentality of banking institutions. These circumstances, together with the drain of specie produced by the East India trade, present the most serious obstacles to the preservation of the currency at an equal value to gold and silver. These obstacles now exist in, perhaps heir greatest force. The practicability of preserving the convertibility of bank notes into current specie, under circamstances so extremely adverse, is in a fair course of experiment. Whatever may be the result of this experiment, until it is obtained, no egislative interference is conceived to be necessary, except for the enforcement of the obligation on the part of the banks to discharge their notes in specie when demanded. This can be most certainly efected by considering and punishing, as an act of bankruptcy, any attempt on the part of a bank to circulate its notes whilst it refuses to discharge them in specie, or the notes of other banks in the same situation.

I have the honor to be, sir, very respectfully your most obedient servant, WM. H. CRAWFORD.

The Hon, J. W. EPPES. Chairman of the Committee of Finance. [The above report has been agreed to by the Senate.]

ALEXANDRIA:

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1819. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON Tuesday, February 9.

Yesterday evening, at a late hour, the seminole question was put to rest. Mr. Clay spoke for some time, and was answered by Mr. Floyd, and Mr. Irvine, of South Carolina. Your readers will readily excuse your not giving any more of the speeches. Every question, and there were several, was carried against the report of the military committee, and in favor of gen. Jackson's conduct, by an immense majority. On that part connected with Arbuthnot's execution, the question being taken by ayes and noes-the majority was 108 to 62. On that which respected Ambrister, the majority was 107 to 63: and a motion of Mr. Cobb's, to declare the seizure of Pensacola and St. Carlos de Barancas contrary to the constitution of the United States, was negatived by 100 votes to 70. Thus has the uninterrupted employment of about 200 le-gislators, for three weeks, terminated: and people have got for about 30,000 dollars of compensation money. A lumping pennyworth, no doubt !!

CONGRESS. The house of representatives sat to so late an hour yesterday, that we can only, from that circumstance, and from the want froom, state a few of the prominent results of the proceedings.

In the Senate, some business was done of which an account will be hereafter given. The proceeding of most immediate nterest, was a motion, by Mr. Morrill, of N. Hampshire, to adopt a proposition to the following effect :

Resolved, by the senate, that the president of the U. S. be requested to strike from the rolls of the army and pavy the names of all such officers thereof, as were, From these considerations, your commit-, in succeeding years, will depend upon the coins of the United States would furnish no directly or indirectly, concerned in countries of the United States would furnish no directly or indirectly, concerned in countries of the United States would furnish no directly or indirectly, concerned in countries of the United States would furnish no directly or indirectly, concerned in countries of the United States would furnish no directly or indirectly or indirectly.

selling, aiding, or abelling the late duct between Armisterd T. Mason and J. M. M'Carty, citizens of Virginia.

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THE SUPREME COURT Saturday, Feb. 6.

The case of buvenson and others, against Sultivan, was submitted, on printed argu-

Mr. Ogden moved, in the case of O. Evans against Phillips; to quash the writ of error, upon the ground of some technical informality in the proceedings. The court took time to consider the case.

Mr. Taylor moved to dismiss the case of Marshall against Beverley, upon the ground that the amount in controversy was less than 2000 dollars.

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At A. Rhodes's tavern on Union-street.
Alexander McKenzie,
John T. Brooks,
Reuben Johnston. At the Council Cham Colin Auld, Guy Atkinson, William Bartleman. THIRD WARD, herd's tavern, corner of King and St. Asaph streets, John Roberts,

At Joseph C. Gird's, corner of King and St. Asaph-Streets,
Thomas Lawrason,
William D. Simms,
Robert I. Taylor. A copy.

I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.

MARINE JOURNAL PORT OF ALEXANDRIA .. February 9 Brig Dave, Barrett, Oporto.

Benefactor, Tobey, Bermuda,
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By order of the high priest,

G. CAWOOD, Scrib

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JOHN ADAMS, Sec'y.

50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order 35 firkins butter
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800 lbs. Tennessee live feathers
5 pipes choice London particular Ma-

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Brook Royal Arch Chap. 6. 10th Feb. Anno Temple 2819

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WANTED, a few negroes calculated for a farm. Young boys and girls may find a purchaser at the Indian Queen Holed, in Alexandria.

February 9

INTEGER for sale 300 tons of Plaster of Paris, deliverable on the wharf, at Georgetown, for cash, or approved paper at 60 days.—Also 50 tons ground Plaster.

Georgetown, Feb. 6

Orphans' Court.

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February Term,

Samuel Bland, deceased, do insert the usual notice to debtors and creditors, three times a week; two weeks, in the Alexandria newspapers.

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A MOORE, Reg. Wills.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Samuel Bland, late of the county aforesaid, deceased.—All persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 31st day of June next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate; and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 5th day of February, 1819.

IANE BLAND,

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Orphans' Court. Alexandria County, Sebruary Term. 1819.

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HERVEY SUMMERS, Executor of Jacob Fortney, dec'd. Drawing Week after next. THE WHOLE IN ONE DAY.

The drawing of the Maryland State Lottery Will take place, as advertised, on Wednesday the 24th of this month, and will be completed on the same. The capitals are 20,000. 10,000, 10 of 5,000, 20 of 1,000 dollars &c. all payable in cash, subject to fifteen per cent discount only.

Wh.tickets. \$100.00 | Eighths, \$12.50 |
Halves, 50.00 | Tenths. 10.00 |

One of the Sixteenthe 6.50

Quarters, 25 00 Sixteenths, 6 50 Fitths, 20 00 Twentieths, 5 00 To be had in the greatest variety of num-COHEN'S

Lottery and Exchange Office, 110 Market-street, Baltimore Where the great capitals of 50,000 and 20,-000 dollars were sold in the last lottery drawn in Baltimore, and where more capital prizes have been obtained, than at any

other office in America.

Orders for either whole tickets or shares (post paid) from any part of the Union, enclosing the cash or prize tickets in any of the late Baltimore, Philadelphia or N. York lotteries will meet with the most N. York lotteries, will meet with the most

prompt attention, addressed to
J. I. COHEN, Jr.

No. 110, Market-street, Baltimore.

Notice. A LL persons having claims against the ship Fair Trader, are requested to exhibit them to

MATTHEW ROBINSON.

Jones's Point. THE subscriber wishes to let for one season or more his excellent fishery, or is ing to work it out on shares. Application to be made to him personally, or writ-ten particulars left at Mr. George Hill's,

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Sugar, Molasses, &c. INDSAY & HILL, have just received from Norfolk, per the sloop Ocean, captain Middleton, 5 bhds and 5 bbls sugar (low priced)

5 do retailing molasses
1 pipe 4th proof gin
40 boxes smoked herrings;
And from Baltimore,
35 bags St. Domingo coffee.
In Nore,
Jamaicz and W. I. rum, in hhds
Sugar in hogsheads and barrels.
Imperial and young byson tea, in ter

Just Seed Seed warranted Clover oatty boxes Soft shelled almonds and pimento, i

Ground ginger in kegs
38 bbls mess shad, put up particularly
60 tons plaster
Family flour, as usual
February 8

Retailing Molasses. OFFER for sale, received per sloop O.

ean, 35 hhds retailing molasues.

Wanted.

Wish to employ for the ensuing season a number of bricklayers and stone masons, to whom constant employment and good wages will be given, at Old Point Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. Note need apply but good workmen and men of eleady habits. Apply to the subscriber at old Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS.

Alexandria, February 5, 1819.

HE stockholders of this bank are hereby notified that an election will be held at the Court-bouse in this place, on Monday the 8th day of March next, for the purpose of electing fifteen directors to serve the ensuing year, P. H. MINOR February 5

Engineer Department,

PROPOSALS will be received for the delivery of 4000 casks of Thomastown lime; 2000 casks at Old Point Comfort, Chesapeake Bay, in the months of Februa-Ty, March and May; and 2000 at Fort Washington, on the Potomac, in the months of March, May, July, September and No-vember. W. K. ARMISTEAD. vember. W. K. Arango Property Lieut, Col. Commandant Engineers

Singar, Apples, &c.

RECEIVED by the sloop Rising-Sun.
capt. Smith; from Providence R. I.
and for sale by E. CORNING Vowell's wharf,

60 bbls brown sugar 5 hhds N. E. rum 2 pipes gin 27 bbis cider

50 do apples 70 bushels potatoes 3000 wt. codfish Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent qua-lity Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND. Hemp and Sugars.

WENTY tons very superior clear Russia hemp.

32 barrels Muscavado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen,
from Boston, for sale by

LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Rent, That large three story fire proof warehouse, lately built by the subscriber on Thompson's wharf.
Im JACOB MORGAN. Feb 1

NEW CLOVER SEED RECEIVED this day, and on sale by

Butter in firkins, and whiskey in barrels.

To Rent,

That new brick dwelling, pleating santly situated on King-street, opposite A. C. Cazenove's Esqr. and now occupied by S. Harper, Esqr. Also a store and ware house, with dry, floored cellars, fitted up for business, at the south west corner of King and Patrick streets: and a comfortable frame dwelling house, with stable and garden, nigh to the above, with stable and garden, nigh to the above, with stable and garden, nigh to the above, had immediately. RICHARD SLADE.

Who having relinquished business, desires all accounts to be handed for settlement at his father's counting room. To Rent,

Marshal's Sale.

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By virtue of a decree of the court of the United States for the hith circuit in the Virginia district, in a suit in chancery, wherein Mary Wormeley, wife of Hugh Wallace Wormeley, by George F. Strother her next friend, and John S. Wormeley, her next friend, and John S. Wormeley, Mary W. Wormeley, Jane B. Wormeley and Mary W. Wormeley, infant children of the said Mary and Hugh W. by the said George Hugh Wallace Wormeley. Thomas Arode, Richard Veitch, David Castleman and Charles McCormics, defendants, will be sold at public auction on the third day of February next, if fair, if not, the next fair day; on the premises,

A Tract of Land containing 300 acres, and also the reversion of fifty acres adjoining the same tract of 300 acres, lying and being in the county of Frederick and state of Virginia, situate on the north side of the Shenandoah river, and adjoining the said river about two miles below Soickers' ferry—one hundred acres of which is finely timbered, and the whole tract well watered with a never failing spring; the buildings are an excellent dwelling house, with other suitable outhouses, a good barn, corn house; blacksmith's shop, stable, &c. &c.

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VILLIAM MANN, D. M.

For ANDREW MOORE Marshal.**

The above Sale is Postponed until the 20th of March.**

Richmond; February 1.

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Bricklayers and Stone Masons

FIFTY barrels Muscovado sugar
70 barrels No. 1 beef
Landing from sloon Joseph and for sale by
jan 25 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

MEN THOUSAND bushels of Liverpoul coarse—Cadiz and Turks Island salt, received per bries Benefactor and by Miller & Son, or Jan 22 T. H. HOWLAND. February 8

The National Intelligencer and Federal
Gazette will publish the above till April 1: Mechanics' Bank,

Mahogany on Sale. Maliograpy on Sale.

The subscriber has on hand and offers for sale 4 or 5000 feet first quality St.

Domingo and Bay MAHOGANY, at the Baltimore prices for Casa, or to principle customers at the usual credit.—Gentlemen who are building cas he supplied with hand railing cut to any dimensions; at a short notice—also any orders for furniture which the subscriber may be tavored with from persons residing either in town of the country will be promptly altended to and executed in a superior side.

ROBT ABERCROMBIE.

Corner C.

Sugar and Beet.

Salt.

Cork Sole Shoes.

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cork sole; and morocco and leather thick sole walking shoes, with heels. A general assortment of other kinds, suit-

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OW landing from schr Geo. Washington, and sloop Experiment, from Nov. Solk, and for sale by LINDSAY & HILL, 250 sacks fine Liverpool salt 145 do coarse do 1200 bushels do do 35 bls berrings and 40 dozen corn brooms january 1

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Williams, from Marblehead, and for
sale by LAWRASON 4-FOWLE,
150 bags white sugars, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia Sugar, &c.

200 de heavy and light ravens de 200 do white and brown shirtings 4000 lbs soft shelled almonds. Jan 1

New Livery Stable. THE subscriber has established, on the wharf, a stable of horses, and he takes this method of acquainting the citizens of Alexandria, particularly those gentlemen residing on the wharf, that there will be good saddle horses and carriages always in constant readiness for those who may please favor him with their calls.

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N. B. Horses will be taken at livery by the day, week, or month.

WM. B. STUART.

L. Masterson, BOOT AND SHOE MAKER.

RETURNS his grateful thanks to his friends and the public, in general for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assertment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness that ner: for heatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of

Boots, Bootees and Shoes, which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit, at his old stand opposite the Gaze to

office, Royal-street.

N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred.

August 24

Just Received; BY late arrivals from New York, Boston and Portland, a large assortment of goods, comprising the following articles,

3 Grecian sofas, good quality 3 small side boards 26 dozen chairs, different kinds 12 bureaus I case sup, quality looking glasses Work and light stands

Work and light stands
20 dozen common brooms
10 plated harmesses
Also, by schooner Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag, from Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag, from Stag, from Baltimore, Stag, from Stag,

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Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Western Money A FEW thousand dollars of Kentucky A FEW thousand dollars of Kentucky.

Ohio, and Pennsylvania bank notes or sale at a liberal discount, well worth the ditention of drovers and others. Apply at my Exchange Banking House and Broker's Diffice, Bridge-street, Georgetown.

December 10 ROMULUS RIGGS.

Winchester and Alexandria STAGE. THE Winehester and Alexandria stage, in future; will stop at the Indian Queen Tayern, and will leave said tayern on the same days at before from the City Hotel-

SALES AT AUCTICA. Priblic Sale.

On Thursday next the 1tth inst, at Clock will be sold on the premises, A lot of ground situate on Patrick street, between Cameron and King streets, with the inaptivement thereon—consisting of a commodious two story brick dweiling house with every convenient out house; now in the occupancy of Mr. Laws.—Terms liberal, and made knowns the place of sale.

P. G. MARSTELLER, Aucty. Public Sale.

Public Sale. DURSUANT to the last will and testament of Jacob Fortney, deceased, will
be sold at his late dwelling on Royal-street,
on MONDAY next, at 11 P. M.
elegant saddle horse
cart, with gears, saddle and bridle
A set of blacksmither tools
A number of new horse shoes
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Household and krichen furniture, &c.
By order of the executor.
P. G. MARSTELLER.
Auctioneer.

Public Sale:

On THURSDAY: the 25th inst: will be sold at the DENTRF MILLS; near Alexaddia, part of the personal estate of Samuel Bland deceased, sousisting of a complete set of Blacksmith; and Mill-wright's tools—also, a quantity of machinery tools; Terms at the saie:

JANK BLAND, Administratrix of Samuel Bland.

Feb. 8 Public Sale:

Robert Gray HAS just received on consignment, for Walker's octavo Dictionary, stereotype

edition

Ewell's Medical Companion

Virgil, Cicero, Sallust and Horace Del-Phini,
Clark's Casaf: Aimsworth's Dictionary
Taylor's Enquiry into the Principles and
Policy of the Government of the U. Sietes
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School Testament, fine and coarse
Doctor Watts' large nod small Catechism
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and folities of Chitaboon and Youth
A tew copies O'Neil's Geography
Dwight's Geography
1 copy Morse's Universal Geography oclavo.

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February 5

Barn Landing Fishery. WILL rent this excellent fisher, for 5 years or less; application can be made to me personally or by letter, addressed to Pohick Church, Fairfax Co. va. It will be useless to offer less than Seo dollars, that sum having already been refused.

GEORGE MASON.

Gunston, October 5

New Books, OR sale at the commission bookstore of

A new work on Farriery; I will octave.

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The Christian Economy; a valuable little work; said to be translated from the original Greek of an old manuscript found in the Island of Pata-os; where St. John wrote, his book of the Revelations. Price; half bound, 373 cepts.

A good supply of Writing and Letter
November 18

Notice:

Notice:

The public are hereby informed, the House of Industry establishe ent, corner of Pitt and Prince streets, will go into operation this day, for the delivery of soup; as usual, to the Poor; from 1 o'clock until 3, when donations from the benevoient will be most thankfully received, either in most operation by the faithfully applied.

Application for tickets for the delivery of the soup, will have to be made, by persons residing in the 1st Ward—to John Harper, from the east side of Fairfax-street to the river; Charles Page, from the vest side of Fairfax-street to the east of Pittiger.

street.

2d Wards a Guy Atkiuson; from the east side of Fairfax street to the River. Burnard Bryan, from the west side of Fairfax street to the east side of Fairfax street to the east side of Pitt street.

3d Ward.—Isaac Robbins, from the west side of Pitt street to the east side of Columbus street; Anthony Crease; from the west side of Columbus street is the extent of the corporation.

4th Ward.—Jonathan Jabney from the west side of Pitt street, to the east side of Alfred street—and from the east side of Alfred street to the extent of the corporation.

Great care will be taken to make the Soup clean and good for family use, and will be sold as usual; at 6 cents per quart.

ANTHONY CREASE Morning and Evening Stage,

To and from Georgetown; Washington City and Alexandria; now risining.

Will leave Crawford's tavers, in Georgetown, at 10 o'clock. A. M. passing through the city of Washington calling at all the public houses on the Average, and atrive at Alexandria by half pastine, and atrive at Alexandria by half pastine, and atrive at Alexandria by half pastine, and atrive at Georgetown the same evening. Fare I dollar—All baggage and parcels at the risk of the owner or owners thereof.

THE PROPRIETORS

N. B. Books are kept at Means. Davis of Cheal's Tavens City of Washington, for the entry of passengers in the above.

The Coachee will liave Research.

In future; will stop at the Indian Queen
Tavern, and will leave said tavern on the same days at before them the City Hotel—
fare as usual.

Also an accommodation stage will leave no fact as a same tavern for Washington & George down every day at 10 o'clock A. M. and neturn at 4.P. M.—state seventy-five cents.

N. B. All baggage in either stage will be a second of the distance of

Building Lots or Sale. SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

For Sale or Rent, THAT valuable property called CON-WAY'S WHARF, with the Warebouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to WM. HERBERT, jr.

To Let, THAT convenient Brick house on Roy-al street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—possession to he had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. November 8

To Rent, A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.—

JAMES SANDERSON. Apply to

November 12 Houses for Sale. The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for bu-

Also, the brick dwelling bouse Also, the brick dwelling bouse and store near to the former, lately in pessession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented.

All the above property would be sold upon tiberal credit, the payment being secured. cured. Inquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR

September 28

Gunston for Sale. .

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearing 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracks so as to have one or more fishfour tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very tertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels corrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Distrof Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary outhouse, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 four tracts, so as to have one or more fish-

of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the prelive fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an alumdance of other choice fruit More than 450 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small-grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Moles, cat-tle, highly improved sheep, farming uten-sels and household ferniture can be had: The terms of sale will be accommodating.

Property in any of the cities, negroes, banks stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Polick Church, Fairfus county, Virginia.

September 4. GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale.

A very convenient dwelling house on the lower part of Royal-st, adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Generes. Possession may be ad immediately.

JOHN T. BROOKS.

For Rent.

A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given minediately. For terms apply to ROBERT HUNTER.

Snuff. Aromatic For Catarrh

HIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agree THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeble fragrance as for its efficacy in the
cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous
beadache, it used and approved by the present professor of ehemistry in the university of Cambridge, wass, and by some of the
most respectable gentlemen of the faculty
in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr. Waterhouse, late
professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by

JAMES KENNEDV & SON,

Sole Agents for Alexandria.

Sole Agents for Alexandria. District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818; IN CHANCERY.

Samuel Smith, Complainant, Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, Defend-

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not hav-Ing entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon afficiavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District-ou motion of the said complainant, by his coun-sel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-bouse of said county.

A copy. EDMUND I. LEE, C. C. Teste, january 25

District of Columbia

County of Alexandria, ss. 3 1818. November Term, ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and he ainst Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said Wilfrom Webster, according to law. It is orthat the said absent defendants do appear
dered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, here on the first day of the next Term, and
be published in one of the Alexandria newsenter their appearance to this said, and give

papers three weeks successively.

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Teste,
january 26

EDM. I. LEE, C. C.
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District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit, 1818. November Term,

IN CHANCERY, I SOL Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale. joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, Complainants,

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to Wit: 1818.

IN CHANCERY.

John Withers and Reuben Withers, trading under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Complainants,

Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I.
Live, assignees of the late Merchants'
Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson,
James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Saimel
Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund
Briok, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K.
Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce,
juniot, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood,
Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the
firm of Corse and Rounsavell, George
Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow,
Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, Juhn Jackson,
Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and
Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants
and copartners, under the firm of John
McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson,
Charles Maxley, Alexander Moore, Tho-McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, alministrator Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Seinmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers Richard Wells, the Mechanical Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester,

THE defendants John Anderson, Dattiel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle. Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Niunrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley. Tho's: Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the president and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the president and Directors THE defendants John Anderson, Dattiel Chambersburg, the president and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the sta-tute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon afficient, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Gookendurfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John Mc-Pherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Dinderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, rectors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this or fer be forthwith published for 2 months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be post-ed at the front door of the court-house of

A copy. EDMUND I. LEE, C. C. january 21

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: \ November Term, IN CHANCERY.

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District of Columbia County of Alexandria, to Wite 1210. November Term. IN CHANCERY.

John C. Vawell, Complainant, Chomas Swann Colin Auld, and Edmund I.
Lee, assigness of the late Merchants'
Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Bealle, James Blosham, George Brice, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Gookendorfes, Hugh Camain, Daniel Cas Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Lar nour, Joint merch nits and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville and James Mandeville, loud merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville, William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of 'illiam Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunters, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William 1. Linton, Executor of William Tyler; Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Me-tropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburgh, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants. HE defendants John Anderson, Daniel

Angin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerille, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Otive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Discontinuous Control of the President and Discontinuou rectors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore. the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester. not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon at-fidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Duleys, Nimped niel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, Jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John Mc-Pherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pick-erille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Tho-mas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simp-son, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the French the President and Directors of the Frank-Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that nother converges lished in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said county.

Teste, EDMUND I. LEE. C. C. january 21 th?m

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: | 1818 November Term, IN CHANCERY. Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint mer

chants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, Complainants,

Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonethan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paten & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, Defendants.

I having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Thomas Roed that the said defendant. Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the trent door of the court-house of said county. of said county.

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Wheat. W neat,

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given.

THOMAS V. HUCK.

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District of Columbia County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818.

November Term.

EV CHANCERY. James Sanderson, Complainant,

AUAINST Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company,

THE def and Catherine F. McCall not having a med her appearance and given security according to the statute and the ven security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon afficiavit that the said determant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complament, by his counsel, it is ordered. That the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her Bruce, junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Gookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Ronnsavell, trading under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrol Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel Mc Pherson, Late joint merchants and conartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son: Daniel McPherson & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court, and the said delegant, Cally is not an inhabitant of this District—on most ion of the said complamant, by his counsel, it is ordered. That the said defendant, Caltherine F: McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months ing to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspa-pers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county,

A copy. EDMUND I. LEE, C. C. january 25

PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription, A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS

Declaration of Independence, ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES; To which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-simile engravings of the

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

signatures.

TO THE PUBLIC.

T seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been presented for American B ography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of thousands have dwelt with rapture upon the document that announced to the world that "these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and indepen-dent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instroment. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become. —Traits of individual character are fugitive and evaluations of their are not enached by nescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an ear-ly season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.— It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and unsparing panegyric, so often and se ialsely dignified with the name of Biogralin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a development of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those pa-triots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these man and when the stood of these man and when the stood of th these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances in their possession to untold and illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recom-pense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the medipracticable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any eagraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the

turned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the Declaration of Independence, from the first motion that was made on the floor of congress until its final passage into a law, a period embracing much curious and secret history: finally, we promise to add to our last number the Declaration of Independence itself, with fac-simile engravings of the signatures. We have now compendiously stated the objects of our present undertaking, and we hope that it will be unnecessary to mention that no exertions on our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our project, which does indeed seem to be demanded, by the avidity so recently displayed for the possession of the Declaration of Independence, since it is of very little import to become acquainted with a man's hand writing without a previous knowledge of the man. The secret history of our Declaration of Independence, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to that instrument, accompanied by their likenesses, and finally the Declaration itself with facisimiles of the signatures, will bring into one compact view the prominent facts of that interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be published in numbers, or half volumes, or 150 pages octave, and will be contained in ten numbers.

II. It will be printed on fine paper made expressly for the purpose, and delivered to subscribers at two dollars and fifty cents per half volume or number, payable on delivery.

Sobseniptions will be received at the

Subscriptions will be received at the lice of the Alexandria Gazette.

December 29

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The substantial, well built fast sailing ship NEW JER burthen, 400 tons or 4300 barrels, no complete order for the reception of a CApply to

Apply to stuth In Wanted Immediately. Wanted to freight or chart vessel to take 400 bls. to Mo Owners or masters of vessels may app the Indian Queen Hotel, Alexandria. February 5

Liverpool Salt and Coa FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship zard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, Liverpoot, of salt and coal. Apply t LAWRASON & FOR For Freight,

The ship HAZAKD, buttle and r to load as soon as her present cargo c discharged. Apply as above. january 19

For Freight, The sloop ALERT, capt. S carries about 450 barrels, an elent vessel, and will take freight for southern port. Apply to LAWRASON & FOV

january 14

Spirits, Sugar, &c.

A FEW puncheons of superior qu
Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in hhds Jamaica pimento Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st. September 30 N. REILLY

Sales at Vendue. In every Tuesday and Frie WILL BE SOLD,

At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince Water streets, Dry Goods, Groceries, & Particulars of which will be express
the bills of the day.

All kinds of goods which are mitation, and the prices of which are blished, can at any time be viewed and chased at the lowest limitation prices january P. G. MARSTELLE

Private Tuition.

THE subscriber has procured a y gentleman (a graduate of Yale lege) to conduct a private school in h mily, and would be willing to receive or four boarders for the next year. The structor is eminently qualified to teat the different branches both of a class and mathematical education.
THOMAS TURN Fauquier county, Vir. Nov 30

BLANK BOOKS.

TAMES KENNEDY & SON have

received a large assortment, cons of the following, viz. Ledgers, single & double Of all Journals Day books Letter and invoice ditto faint and

Record ditto, &c. &c. in plain and Russia binding, on the A great variety of the smaller book Bank, receipt and memorandum b pocket ledgers; blank music books phering books; plain and taint lined books, for large and small hand, per

or single
Orders from the public offices
from merchants, to any pattern of r executed at a short notice. December 5

OREMIUMS offered by the Agrice Society of Virginia, for the year 1. A premium of fifty dollars valu the best essay on the general manage of a Virginia farm, founded on pra experience or observation, and com a good rotation, with the managem live stock, the accumulation of manur other objects pertaining to the busin a farm.

2. A premium of forty dollars value the best rotation of crops, embracing wheat and clover.

3. A premium of fifty dollars value best rotation of crops, embracing wheat, clover and tobacco.

Premiums of fifty dollars value, we given for the best essay founded on experiment on each of the subjects for ing, to wit : 4. The best and most economical

of furnishing food for milch cows, stood tle, sheep and hogs, from the 1 st of to the 15th of May.

5. On the best and most econ mode of raising and sustaining horses 6. On the best and most economical of sustaining cattle, sheep and hogs, the year.

7. To the person who shall ma greatest quantity of corn upon ten a land in one body, in the year 1819 supported by the certificate or affide three disinterested fractions. three disinterested freeholders, and fi ed to the Society previously to the m in December next.

By a standing rule of the Society ordered, "that the names of partie tending for premiums shall not be known. (except to the Sccretary.) the prize or prizes be adjusted to the JOHN ADAMS, Se